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CONGRESS.

By Telegraph to the News.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.

SENATE—The Senate insisted upon its amendment to the Military Academy Appropriation bill, and a Committee on Conference was ordered. Allison, Blaine and Davis, of West Va., were appointed a Committee on the part of the Senate.

Hamlin and Kerr, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported, with amendment, the bill recently introduced by Paddock, of Nebraska, providing that the posse comitatus clause in the Army Appropriation Bill for the present fiscal year, shall not be construed as applying to the army or any part thereof employed on the protection of life and property in the States and Territories, subject to Indian incursions. Placed on calendar

The Senate in the morning, hour on motion of Windom, took up the Consular and Diplomatic Appropriation bill, subject to a call for the regular order, being Blaine's resolution which came over from yesterday. Windom, in explanation of the bill, said as it came to the Senate it appropriated $1,04 ,755. The Senate committee had added $82,100 and as now reported from the committee the bill appropriated $50,800 less than the estimates. The committee had restored the salaries of ministers to Great Britain and Russia, France, Germany, Spain, Austria, Italy and other places, cut down by the House of Representatives, so as to provide that these ministers should receive the amount of compensation now fixed by law. Various amendments proposed by committee were agreed to without discussion.

The Bill was then read a third time and passed.

Windom, from the committee on Appropriations, reported with amendments the Pension appropriation bill. Placed on Calendar.

After the morning hour the Senate resumed the consideration of the resolution of Blaine regarding the inquiry whether the rights of citizens were violated in any States of the U. S., at recent elections. Merrimon read a prepared speech in reply to that of Blaine of last week. He spoke in favor of peace, harmony and breaking down all sectional feuds.

Blaine's resolution together with this amendment providing that the committee shall take testimony shall take testimony at any point necessary to visit, was adapted, the vote being 56 yeas to 6 nays. There was an animated debate against the purpose of the resolution. Those who voted in the negative were Eaton, Hill, McCreesy, Morgan, Wallace and White.

The Senate confirmed the nomination of John S. Mosby as Consul General at Hong Kong.

HOUSE.—House passed the bill to meet the deficiency in appropriation for postal Railway service.

HOUSE—Watt, of Connecticut, introduced bills for the improvement of Thames river and Stonington Harbor, Connecticut. Referred.

The House then resumed the consideration of the Geneva Award, and was addressed by Keifer, of Ohio, in favor of the majority report.

The Amount of Silver Coin for Customs Dues.

By Telegraph to the News.

WASHINGTON, C. D., Dec. 17.—A communication from the Secretary of the Treasury was laid before the Senate to-day in response to a resolution of Beck, adopted by the body on the 3rd inst., calling for the information as to the amount of silver coin received for customs dues since the beginning of the current fiscal year, and whether it has been applied to any extent to the payment of the interest on U. S. bonds, and if not so applied to state the reason why.

The Secretary transmits the report made to him on the subject by the Treasurer, and adds: Under existing laws gold coin or standard silver dollars may be used in payment of interest on the public debt. The law does not direct which shall be paid, but leaves this to the discretion of the Department, to be exercised upon considerations of public policy and the practice, as stated by the Treasurer, of allowing public creditors option of form and denomination of money in which he shall be paid, has thus far been observed. The manifest object of the act to authorize the coinage of the silver dollar and restore its legal tender character, when construed in connection with the resumption act, is that gold coins and standard silver dollars shall be maintained at par with each other, and this objection can best be attained by paying out such coin as may subserve the convenience of the person to be paid, and not to force upon him either form of money. Any other course would discriminate against the standard silver dollar and tend to its depreciation. Treasurer Gilfillan, in his report to the Secretary says: Among other things, that no distinction has ever been made between gold and silver moneys in the Treasurer's coin account. The total receipts of standard silver dollars for the period from July 1st to November 30th, 1878, were $5,178,345, one million and a half being an account of customs. These figures do not cover silver certificates. The Treasurer has exchanged standard silver dollars with the public for gold to the amount of $1,534,785. The coin interest paid during year amounts to $39 345,224. Silver coins received during the current fiscal year have not been specifically supplied to the payment of interest upon bonds and notes of the U. S., except so far as fractional. The silver received has been used in disbursements for coin interest in making payments of fractional parts of a dollar.

The Sugar Import.

By Telegraph to the News.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Secretary Sherman, Assistant Secretary French and Mr. James, Chief of the Customs Division of the Treasury Department were before the Ways and Means Committee of the House this morning, to advocate the passage of the bill prepared at the Treasury Department and recently sent to the House of Representatives, to prevent evasion of duties on sugar alleged to be practiced under the present color standard. They agree in urging the addition of the polariscope and when necessary chemical analysis.

Doomed Mollies.

By Telegraph to the News.

POTTSVILLE, PA., Dec. 17—No hopes are now entertained here of a respite for either John Kehoe or Martin Bergan, the Mollie Maguires, who are to be executed to-morrow morning, and the parting farewell of the families of the doomed men was taken this morning.

GOLD AT PAR.

Dollar For Dollar--The First Time Since 1862.

By Telegraph to the News.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17—Gold has just sold at par. The first time it has touched that figure since the suspension of specie payments in 1862.

The first sale of gold at par to-day caused considerable excitement in the gold room, the brokers cheering enthusiastically. It is even said that a brokerage was paid for the sale of gold at 100.

The British Cotton Trade.

By Cable to the News.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—The Manchester Guardian's commercial article says the large sales of cotton at Liverpool are stated to be due to extensive operations for Russia, made with a view to forestalling the new import duty and to a rise reported in New York. The latter is attributed partly to a report sent from this side that the Oldham strike has ended.

If such report has been sent it is false. The card room hands of one mill resumed at a 5 per cent reduction on Saturday but in the spinning department the hands could not be got. On Monday five more limited company mills resumed work ostensibly at a reduction of 5 per cent., but with compensatory arrangement that the five cent. taken off should be invested in the names of the trustees and paid to employees if they carry their point with other mill owners. Meeting of operatives are to be held to-day to vote whether members of the Operatives. Association may resume at all the mills offering the foregoing compromise If the vote be favorable, doubtless a large number of joint stock mills will resume, but the contest will be continued, and the issue decided between the operatives and individual proprietors. The uneasiness regarding financial affairs and general clearing out, and preparation of accounts, are causing depression in all speculative home securities, railways, telegraphs &c. Foreign securities are supported by Continental bourses; money brought into market by the closing out of speculative stocks is being put into consols, U. S. and other unimpeachable securities.

Conkling Declines the Honor.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17—A Washington special to the Graphic, which that paper in a leader says is undoubtedly correct, states that the friends of Senator Conkling have recently been in conference there and in New York on the subject of his nomination to the Presidency, and that he wishes it understood he is not a candidate and will not again enter into the contest. This attitude is supposed to be due, according to the Graphic, to the movements on foot to concentrate on Grant.

Still to be Hung.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 17—At an informal meeting of the Board of Pardons this morning, it was decided not to re-open the case fo Jack Kehoe, who is to be hanged at Pottsville to-morrow.

Jurisdiction Over Cyprus.

By Telegraph to the News.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 17—The Porte and Great Britian are negotiating concerning Britain jurisdiction over foreigners in Cyprus Great Britan recognizes the Sultan's sovereignty over the Island, but denies that capitulation concerning consular jurisdiction is still applicable there.

The Dead Duchess.

By Cable to the News.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—The Prince of Wales, Prince Christian and Prince Leopold have left for Darmstadt to attend the funeral of the Grand Duchess of Hesse.

WHIPPING HIS WHITE WIFE

An Episode of Washington Society--Color in Matrimony.

Washington Letter.

Washington is no exception, in its phases of society, from other cities; and, as a consequence, its police records show as singular exhibitions of human nature as can be found elsewhere. Recently a huge, broad-shouldered negro, as black as a crow, was arrested and fined for whipping his wife, who is a white woman, and claims to be of English birth. The fellow labored under the impression that he had a perfect right to administer such necessary correction as a bibulous turn on her part demanded, but he paid his five-dollar fine without particular murmur, and walked off with the partner of his joys, who was also fined $5 for "hitting back" at him. He stated that a brother of his had also a white wife Having personal knowledge of at least two other miscegenation cases, we can but infer that this city has her share of those who think marriage, like politics, should have no distinctions of color. The future alone can determine whether this city shall ever present a census return like that of New York, which showed in 1869 one revenue district alone with over 2,000 white women in it living as the wives of colored men. In Kentucky, we believe, such a marriage or consorting is punishable by fine and imprisonment. but here there is no legal bar whatever, and the occasional promenading together of the colored man and white woman induces no surprise or comment. The query arises, naturally, why is this public association of colors confined to white women with negroes? Were a white man to marry a negro it would become as much a nine days' wonder to this people as the marriage of the French diplomat a few years since to the nearly white daughter of one of the wealthy prominent colored citizens of this place.

W. L. Thompson for Doorkeeper.

Correspondence of the NEWS.

LEXINGTON, Dec. 16.

Please allow me through your valuable columns to say a few words in favor of the man whom Davidson would be glad to see entrusted with the office of Principal Doorkeeper of the next Senate. Mr. Thompson was for four years a gallant soldier for the cause he thought was right, and now bears the marks of that fearful struggle. Since the war he has been a true and zealous Democrat; has spent and been spent for his party, and deserves promotion at its hands. He is in every way competent, and would fill the office satisfactorily. Reward the faithful.

DAVIDSON.

Our Washington Letter.

Correspondence to the News.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16th.

The Republicans to-day defeated a motion to suspend the rules and pass Representative Chalmers' bill to prevent corruption in elections. The bill, Gen. Chalmers says, is almost a copy of a bill introduced by John Bell, in 1840.

It was then defeated by the Democrats. It provides:

"That no officer, agent, or contractor, or other person holding any office or employment of profit or trust under the Constitution and laws of the United States of America, shall, by the contribution of money or other valuable thing, or by the use or abuse of any official privilege or function, or by threat and menaces, or in any other manner, intermeddle with the election of any member or members of either house of Congress or of the President or Vice-President of the United States of America; and every such officer or other person offending therein shall be held guilty of a high misdemeanor, and, on conviction thereof shall be removed from such office or employment, and fined in a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars; and that all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

That any person who shall, by solicitation or otherwise, attempt to induce any officer or person holding an employment of profit or trust under the U. S., to contribute money or any valuable thing, to be used for election purpose in any election enumerated in this act, shall be held guilty of a high misdemeanor, and, on conviction thereof in any court of the United States having jurisdiction thereof, shall be fined in a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars.

In what way has Senator Merrimon offended the veracious ink-slinger of the Cincinnatti Commercial? Anent the debate on Edmunds' electoral bill the Washington correspondent of the Commercial observes:

"Merrimon delivered a long speech, which received indifferent attention. In fact no speaker made much impression, as all seemed to have made up their minds in advance how they would vote. Merrimon is an orator. It is said that he can clear the galleries as fast as Blaine can fill them up."

Horace Greely once said that "lying was an accomplishment."

A letter addressed to "Hon Zebulon B. Vance, United States Senator," is advertised in the city post office. A windy day is this for "straws."

Senator Ransom will make a speech on Blaine's resolution that ought to give him the nomination for the Vice Pesidency.

A stalwart Republican sagely remarked to-day: "The objection to another term of Grant is that the argument used for a third term would apply with greater force to a fourth term—and that the real meaning of running him for the Presidency would be that there was a desire to have him in that office for life to give us a strong Government, such as no other man could give. This is the one man power and a dictatorship. Down that road all Republics have gone to ruin, with one exception, and we hope that exception will be maintained." On the other hand the Washington correspondent of the Cleveland Herald says that "President Hayes has recently expressed himself to a number of friends in a way that shows he would not be at all displeased if Grant were to step in when he steps out. His idea seems to be that he would carry out substantially the policy of the present Administration in regard to all important questions, and especially the Southern question and the money question, while a 'stalwart' like Blaine or Conkling coming into power in 1881 might try to reverse everything done during the preceding four years.

The fools are not all dead. Among the curious petitions to Congress is one presented by Senator Davis from a memorialist in Chicago, asking Congress to set apart a tract of not less than one nor more than three million acres of land to be held and used as a National charity farm where all classes of poor, sick, infirm and disabled persons may have a home.

The Monument to Hon. W. A. Graham.

Hillsboro Recorder.

The monument of which we spoke some months ago was erected in the Presbyterian Cemetery of this place during the last week, under the superintendence of Mr. John King, of Raleigh, assisted by Captain Henry Richards, of Hillsboro.

It is from the works of the N. E. Granite Company, Hartford, Conn., and is of Rhode Island Granite of an agreeable bluish white. It is in five pieces; the base, sub-base, die, entablature, and surmounting obelisk, the whole resting on a brick foundation, and from the ground to the apex, twenty one feet high. The whole is graceful and striking, most perfect proportions being preserved, and the lines of the component parts blending into each other at graceful angles.

On the east face of the subsbase, appears the inscription :

GRAHAM.

The die has the four faces highly polished; and on its east face is inscribed :

Speaker of the House of Commons,
Senator of the United States,
Governor of North Carolina,
Secretary of the United States Navy,
Senator of the Confederate States,
Arbitrator of the Maryland and Virginia line,

On the North face is inscribed :

Fortunate in his descent and
in the gifts of nature, he thoroughly
fitted himself for the duties of his
profession and of public life.
Possessing faculties of rare
proportion and harmony, he adorned
his career by a quiet and dauntless
courage, opened and fixed principles
of conduct, and unfailing courtesy
and a stainless name.

"The memory of the just is blessed."

On the west side

WILLIAM ALEXANDER GRAHAM
Born
September 5, 1804,
Died
August 11, 1875.

The south face has no inscription

How many a home has been robbed of sunshine and happiness and rendered sad and desolate by the loss of some dear and petted child. This is a dangerous season for children, and parents should keep Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup handy. Price 25 cents.

ASHE COUNTY

Need of the Whipping Post--The Senatorial Question--County Support of Insane Persons.

Correspondence of the NEWS.

JEFFERSON, Dec. 13th.

Our people in the mountains of N. C. want the whipping post established to whip thieves at. We think it is the cheapest, most effective and curative punishment for larceny that has ever been devised.

A man by the name of Daniel Dishman was taken up the other night and placed in jail here, charged with having committed a robbery in Iredell county. His brother, Lee Dishman, was put in about the same time for stealing a colt in this county and he will certainly have to go to the pen or to some Narrow Guage R. R.

There is very little excitement here about the Senatorial contest. We are pleased with Senator Merrimon's course in Congress, but party insubordination must be punished wherever found, or party organization surrendered.

Can't our legislature amend the Constitution so that the counties represented shall foot the bill for supporting the Insane? If that were the case our present asylum would be sufficient and we would not have two elephants to pay for, and then feed forever.

LUMBERDICK.

Swift Creek.

Correspondence of the NEWS.

December 14, 1878.

I have just returned from Beaufort, to which place I accompanied the Hon. Sam. A. Dixon, of Durham, as a witness to his marriage with Miss Sarah Clare, of South Carolina, a lady of worth and beauty, and who, I am sure, will be an ornament to "Fairmount," the new residence of the honorable gentleman, near Durham.

I found all hands in favor of the way in which you count your em quads and ems and they desire you to count another year.

The Speakership was a puzzle not even to be understood by the Democrats from Orange.

There is a queer run of fish of Walnut Creek; as many as twenty perch and chub of good size are taken per day by one person and the old people tell me it has been never known to be so before. They attribute it to the heavy crops of grain in the Swift Creek townships.

The "game law" makes partridges so common that Pat Nolan killed three out of twenty-seven shots. We will send a mess soon.

Our people are still planting wheat and oats and where it will end I do not know.

Your correspondent has to learn all the news from you instead of contributing thereto in these dull times.

S. T. G.

What is the Electric Light.

New York World.

There are two modes of producing a light by means of the electric current—one by the production of the voltaic arc, the other by heating intensely some substance placed in the electric circuit. These may be briefly explained as follows: When the ends of the wires conducting the current are brought together and then separated slightly there appears between them an intense light, which takes a curved form. The heat given off is so great that the end of the wires are melted and the space between them rapidly increasing the light after a time ceases because the current cannot be maintained between so distant points. It is this electric arc that is now made use of almost entirely in all electric lamps, two sticks or pencils of carbon being connected with the two wires to produce the light and arranged by clock-work or otherwise to approach each other as they burn away. Lighting by incandescence is gained not by producing the arc between two points, but by bringing to a white heat some substance like carbon or a hard metal which forms part of the electric circuit. Both of these lights have been experimented upon by many men for many years. The electric arc has been found to be available only for large places, because it gave a light of many thousand candle-power at one point, and the glare could not be borne by the eyes. The lighting by incandescence was impracticable for small places or domestic use, because although the light was soft and pleasant, no means had been devised to regulate the flow of the current, and the temperature therefore being variable, the candle was liable at any moment to suddenly melt and extinguish the light, and would in any case gradually burn away. It was the obviation of these difficulties in the use of an incandescent candle that Edison's experiments sought. The most cursory review of the subject of electric lighting for general purposes shows that no proper system has yet been completed, and that the only one that promises anything at present is that of Edison. He claims a lamp that gives a light of twenty-candle power by the incandescence of a hard metal in the open air, a light that is steady, inoffensive to the eyes, without vitiating effect upon the air; that regulates itself, that is without danger of any kind and that can be applied to all purposes for which gas is now used at at almost nominal cost. He also claims an improved generator for the electric force, an apparatus to measure the current supplied to any one lamp and a mode of dividing the electric light without much loss to any necessary extent. The economical divisibility of the light has been a problem quite as important as the adaptability of the light itself. All of the makers of machines and of lamps have succeeded in obtaining many lights from one current, but with great loss of the current, and the results were inconstant. Edison, until his secrets are made known, has these facts to warrant his claims being considered as important. He has had the specifications of his patent favorably passed upon, an incorporated company has been formed to put his light in operation and he has sold the right to his invention in South America to the well known firm of Fabbri & Chauncey. Edison puts his claims into a sentence by saying that he will supply the electric light at $1 95 a year for each burner, against $15, the price charged by the gas companies for each burner.

IREDELL.—Charlotte Observer: Two negroes confined in the jail for the robbery of the house of Capt. J. M. Patterson, escaped several months ago. A few days ago they stole an overcoat were recaptured, and now lie in Statesville jail.

Electricity and Nerve Force Identical.

New York World,

An eminent Western physician and scientist, speaking of the new discovery of the similarity of electricity and nervous force, says: I believe at some future day the nervous force and electricity will be found to be identical. Every scientific man knows that certain manifestations are common to both these forces Now, in the normal condition of the human body, while the organs carry out their functions their action is not appreciable; but so soon as a man becomes sick or slightly out of sorts he knows from his unpleasant feelings that he has a heart or lungs or a stomach, as the case may be. Supposing the nervous system becomes diseased, or that its functions are thrown out of gear, so to speak, then we have a series of the most remarkable manifestations, occurring quite regularly sometimes, and due entirely to a perversion of the control of the brain over the peripheral nerves. I may say in passing that my theory of the identity of electricity and nerve force is supported to a certain extent by analogy. Years ago it was supposed that electricity and magnetism were entirely different forces; yet it was easily proved by an intelligent experimentalist that they were the same power generated in different ways. It has been found in experiments with the telephone that most curious audible effects have been produced by the passage of a reversed intermittent current of electricity through the human body. A rheotome or regulator of the current was placed in circuit with the primary wires of an induction coil and the wire was connected with two strips of brass. One of these strips was held closely against the ear and a loud sound proceeded from it whenever the other strip was touched with the other hand. When two persons receive a shock from a Ruhmkorff coil by clasping hands, each taking hold of one wire of the coil with the free hand, a sound is found to proceed from the clasped hands. When the arm of one person is placed against the arm of another under these conditions the noise produced can be heard several feet. More than this, Professor Bell has shown that when an intermitteut current from a Ruhmkorff's coil is passed through the arms a musical note can be perceived when the ear is closely applied to the arm of the person experimented upon. Mr. Elisha Gray, an inventor of a telephone, also produced audible effects by the passage of electricity through the human body."

An Heir to a Great Estate Dying in Poverty with a Note for a Million in His Pocket.

N. Y. World.

Several months ago there died in the village of Lansingburg, N. Y., a tall, distinguished looking old man named William F. Atwood, known as Pauper Atwood on account of his having been maintained during the last years of his life by the charity of friends and the village authorities. At his death the poor master provided for his burial. A few days ago, in packing up his effects preparatory to returning them to England, his former home, an old leather pocket-book which he was known to carry was found, in the lining of which was discovered a promissory note for $1,000,000, made by one William Townley Lawrence. It was dated "Lansingburg, N. Y., August 24, 1878," and is payable one month after the maker shall receive his share in the Lawrence Townley estate. Mr. Atwood left England nearly twenty years ago, leaving behind his wife and several children. He drifted to Lansingburg, where he has since resided. Some months previous to his death he was advised to lay claim to the Lawrence Townley estate of fabulous value, situated in the North of England, and Mr. Lawrence, the maker of the note, also an heir-at-law, visited England to see what could be done in the matter. Needless to say he was unsuccessful. The note, which was given by Mr. Lawrence to Atwood in lieu of the legal fees as a witness, has been placed in the hands of a Troy lawyer for collection. He is to receive 25 per cent. as his compensation.

Tribute of Respect.

CHAPEL HILL, Dec. 15
DIALECTIC HALL,

Among the many illustrious alumni of the Dialectic Society, who in creating honor for themselves have also added dignity to her name, none have ranked higher than Maj. Seaton Gales. And although the members of our Society who were associated with him are no longer with us, and we of younger hearts have taken their places, yet sorrowfully and reverently we assume their sad prerogative and express this testimonial to his memory. Whereas, it hath seemed good to our Heavenly Father to take from an extensive circle of relatives, friends, and admirers this most estimable gentlemen, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that in his death we have all been bowed down beneath an afflicting but wise stroke of Providence. Society mourns the loss of a pure, bright, brave, and genial member; the State has been bereft of a lover of her institutions, an advocate of just and equitable measures, and an earnest supporter of her educational interests; and her literature will no longer receive the impetus which his brilliant attainments so eminently fitted him to give it.

RESOLVED, that while we would not intrude upon the sanctity of domestic grief, we offer our most heart-felt sympathy to his bereaved family and friends.

RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the family of the deceased, also to the Raleigh News and Observer, and the University Magazine, with a request that they publish the same, and they be spread upon the minutes of the Society.

R. P. PELL,
HOWARD HAYWOOD, } Committee
ED. A. ALDERMAN.

W. V. Geffroy.

Correspondence of the News.

GREENSBORO, N. C., Dec. 14, 1878.

I have just read with a melancholy pleasure the tribute of your correspondent, G., to the late W. V. Geffroy. Though I had known him personally for only two years, yet a part of that time my acquaintance with him was close and intimate. He was one of the purest, most conscientious, unselfish gentleman I ever met. North Carolina has lost one of her very best men. His beautiful character was the richest legacy he could have left to his family.

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Events in the State.

BURKE—Morganton Blade: Another car load of convicts passed up the Western North Carolina Railroad Wednesday, to work on the tunnel.

MITCHELL—Roan Mountain Republican: The thermometer the past week has stood at 32 nearly all the time, but the Roan and other surrounding mountains are covered with snow.

UNION—Monroe Express: There will be a temperance meeting at the Baptist church on Friday night to organize an Independent Order of Good Templars. ..... The fire at the Stewart House on Tuesday night was caused by a coal popping from the fire and lighting on, the bed. It was in the third story.

ORANGE—Hillsboro Recorder: The reception at the school of the Misses Nash and Miss Kollock on Wednesday evening last, as the closing one of the summer session attracted a larger assemblage of visitors than has been usual on such occasions.... Thursday a little mulatto child about three years old living with his mother on the premises of Mr. W. D. Latta, near University Station, was burned to death.

NEW HANOVER.—Wilmington Star: Three white lads, while taking a sail, were capsized in the river, but were, happily rescued.... Col. Wm. L. Smith, Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, who has been confined to his bed from sickness for several days past..... The floating cotton compress, designed to compress 2 bales at once is nearly ready to begin operations.... Two young gentlemen, who were out walking as far as "The Bluff" on Sunday afternoon, are reported to have seen and conversed with the outlaw, Tom Johnson, who was passing in a small skiff, and who informed them that his wife was "all right."

MECKLENBURG—Charlotte Observer: The man who went to ring the bell for the assembling of the court, yesterday morning, got hold of the wrong rope and called many of the firemen to the engine houses. The mistake was soon corrected.... The Federal Court met again yesterday and completed the business for the term, that is did everything that could be done without the presence of Circuit Court Judge Bond, whose unexpected absence, as heretofore remarked, has seriously interfered with the progress of the business of the court, nearly all of the most important cases having been deferred for a full beuch.... The dramatic club had a meeting at the residence of Mayor Smith, the purpose of which was to take the initiatory steps towards the presentation of one or more plays in the opera house on the night of 19th of January, in aid of the Lee monument.... The store of C. S. Holton was burglarized and $40 taken, while the owner was at church. Thieves are very daring now, as a couple of them threw stones at Mr. Geo. Brinkley as he entered his store at night.

Virginia's Financial Condition

The fight between the readjusters and those who favor the full payment of the Virginia State debt is assuming a definite shape. Leaders of the readjusting movement are in council in Richmond and propose to form a new party upon this issue. They have a strong following and the struggle will be a severe one, as the people seem to be pretty evenly divided on the issue—a large party, headed by Gov. Holliday, being opposed to any plan looking to a repudiation of the State's indebtedness. The readjustment plan is not outright repudiation, but it squints in that direction.

Dangerous Explosive Oil.

Roan Mountain Republican.

We learn that notwithstanding the law of the State forbidding the sale of coal oil standing a lower fire test than 120 degrees, unprincipled men taking advantage of the lax manner in which the law is enforced, are bringing into the State and selling an oil which is far below the legal test, and which is absolutely unsafe and dangerous to use. Such trifling with the lives and property of persons, for the sake of making a little better profit, or of being able to undersell a competitor who is handling a legal and safe oil, cannot be denounced in sufficiently strong terms, and the utmost care should be exercised by those buying oil for use, toat it is of the proper test.

Christmas Goods.

At Watson's store. Just arrived, jellies, prunes, raisins, sauces, apples, Atmore's mince meat, currants, dates, choice liquors, fine cigars, tobacco and everything usually kept in a first-class grocery store. Hechler's celebrated sausage, fresh and fine at Watson's store. *

Sale and Board Stable.

Having this day sold our Livery and Omnibus line to O'Kelley & Baker, we will give our personal attention to the sale of horses and mules, and will keep a first class boarding stable. Our stables will be open day and night, and especial attention given to transient and monthly boarders!

Thankful for the patronage so liberally bestowed heretofore, we trust by strict attention, to merit a continuance of the same in our sale and boarding stables.

GEO. W. WYNNE & Co.

Cotton, Cotton, Cotton!

I have been actively engaged in the cotton business in the Raleigh market for the past ten years, and have made the sale of cotton or consignment a speciality. Those having consignments of cotton to make in this market are respectfully invited to give me a trial.

W. C. MCMACKIN,
Raleigh, N. C.

Headquarters on Consignments

Stronach & Allcott, Commission Merchants, are receiving daily, best quality Timothy hay, oats, family and extra flour, N. C. and Va., butter, Irish potatoes, onions, chickens, turkeys, ducks, geese, eggs, white and stock peas, corn and meal, and all kinds of country produce. They give personal attention to the business—sell on arrival and make prompt returns with check for amount. *

Wholesale and Retail.

L. R. Wyatt, Grocer, keeps on hand the best flour and bulk meats, which he is prepared to furnish in all quantities. He makes a specialty of the sale of cotton on commission, and devotes particular care to this branch of his business. *

The Seven Spring Iron and Alum Mass for Sick and Nervous Headaches.

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DAILY NEWS

WEDNESDAY,.. ....,DECEMBER. 18, 1878

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The Southern Question.

Anent the Southern question the New York Nation formulates this pungent lucidation: The Northern Democrat has, as has been abundantly illustrated during the last ten years, no fixed principles and no definite aim beyond getting into power and having a chance at the offices.

The completeness with which a man like Butler was able to sweep almost the whole party into support of him in Massachusetts by preaching doctrines which, if carried out, would destroy the public credit and discourage all private saving, illustrated sufficiently, in fact, the composition of the party and its tendencies.

The party which occupies the corresponding position at the South is really the Republican party—that is to say, the Republican party there contains in the main the needy and ignorant element of the population, and the part most easily led by demagogues, and least influenced by any political considerations not relating to the immediate supply of their personal wants. Nor is the kind of government such a party would set up matter of speculation at the South, as it is at the North. In South Carolina the experiment was actually tried for 7 or 8 years, and was found, as might have been expected on a priori grounds, to consist in the election of a legislature composed in the main of illiterate and penniless men, led by worthless adventurers, who used their power almost exclusively to levy taxes and pledge the credit of the State to raise money for division among themselves. In fact, the South Carolina Republicans differed from the Massachusetts Butlerites principally in being much more ignorant and impressionable, and weaker and more hopeless. They could not, for instance, have held the government at all without the support of the Federal troops. The Democrats at the South, especially in States like South Carolina and Mississippi, where the negroes are in a majority, occupy somewhat the same ground as the Massachusetts Republicans at the late election; that is, they are trying to keep out of power a party which would probably by its legislation increase taxation, destroy public and private credit, and disorder the machinery of administration.

It is an essential condition of good government that all who are exerting effective influence for or against legislation in any particular community should be "in the same boat," as the popular saying is. This condition is to a certain extent violated, however, when Northern men insist that Southern States like South Carolina and Mississippi shall try the experiment of letting an ignorant non-property-holding majority carry on the government. A proposal to hand over the government of Massachusetts, for instance, to such a body of persons as the majority of Mississippi or South Carolina would fill all the present voters of that State with consternation, and if urged vehemently from the outside as an excellent thing to do, would be fiercely resented. Even the short step in that direction lately taken by Butler roused the fear and indignation of the best portion of the community. Considering what has occurred at the South since 1860, this is not an argument in favor of no greater interest on the part of the North in State legislation at the South than in State legislation at the West or on the Pacific Coast. But it is an argument, and a very strong one, in favor of great moderation, patience, and good temper in discussing Southern affairs, and against treating Southern questions as if names bore the same meaning in the old slave States that they bear here. We cannot be too careful or passionless in urging people to try experiments with their social and material interests of which we ourselves intend to be simply spectators.

Few thinking men will deny that the agreement of the negroes with the whites on matters of State concern, and in support of all legislation designed to operate on both races equally, will probably be, for the present at least, until they have more political education, the wisest course they can pursue. Whatever the faults of the Wade Hamptons may be, they are better political advisers for a poor and ignorant man than the Smalleses and Swailses and Bowens and other rascals who have made South Carolina politics a trade.

It has been remarked by "our Mrs. Grundy" that the eminent tragedian, McCullough, strikingly resembles Solicitor General Phillips, of this State.

The observation is true to some extent. But a more notable suggestion of McCullough's presence in Washington is the banquet given him last week. Blaine and Blackburn were *vis a-vis*. Blaine said something about "great intellects" and looked significantly at Blackburn. He is the "coming man" for speaker of the 46th Congress. Blaine is a good advertiser. He learned it while editing in Maine. But think of this "ye gods and little fishes," Around that festive board sat Justice Miller of the Supreme Court; Secretary of State Evarts; Secretary of the Treasury, Sherman; Attorney General, Devens, Postmaster General Key, and Stilson Hutchins, editor Washington Post, until day-break Sunday morning, paying honor to an actor. And yet some people object to theatres as immoral!

THE "new factor" is no longer an "unknown quantity"

Page's bill [published in Saturday's NEWS] demands the disfranchisement of the negro. Blaine's speech is in accord with this policy. Yesterday's Washington Chronicle, a leading Republican paper, edited by Forney—a typical New England Republican—boldly declares that "Reconstruction is a failure."

The Chronicle says, [note its opinion:]

"As a Republican we confess that as far as the South is concerned the responsibility is found in the mistake of reconstruction. Here is where the party blundered, and the theory of an irresponsible ignorant ballot is to-day haunting it in consequence."

The Washington Chronicle, trained in the school of Blaine, believes that an "ignorant and irresponsible ballot," was the "great blunder of the Republican party." Yet the Chronicle, unlike Blaine, does not hesitate to say "that "the same cause underlying the South-"ern troubles would produce in part "the same results anywhere else. "There is nothing more certain than "that evils and corruptions will grow "out of an irresponsible enfirment of "the rights of suffrage, and the larger "the proportion of ignorance that en-"joys the privilege, the greater will be "the abuses; and this is just what ex-"ists to-day in the South, and why it "has so much more prominence than "than the same things in other locali-"ties where the degree of ignorance is "less.

The writer is among those "stalwart Bourbons" who believe that Hayes is a legal fraud. We do not hesitate to speak of him as "President Hayes." Neither do we hesitate to accord to him full credit for what he has done as acting President that is commendable. He told Pat Donan that he had "done more for the South than a Democrat would have done." That is true. The Returning Board thieves in Florida and Louisiana would never have found favor and appointment to lucrative and honorable office under Tilden's administration. The American people compelled Mr. Hayes to withdraw armed soldiers from the State houses in South Carolina and Louisana. For the elimination of the Southern question from practical politics, Mr. Hayes is entitled to no credit. Grant with all his proverbial stubbornness advised it. While Mr. Hayes fails to reform the civil ser according to his promises; when he permits the abuses now notoriously practiced in the departments by way of assessments of salaries and the rotten system of appointments and removals, wherein does the virtue of his administion lie?

True there is some improvement since Grant's time. Everybody remembers the shocking stories of corruption and intrigue that filled the air during Grant's administration. Now we have fraud, imbecility and vacillation. The Republican party is a failure.

THE House Committee on Appropriations wisely determined on Saturday to report the necessary appropriation —$450,000—for the continuance of the postal car system. The bill will no doubt be promptly passed through the House, under a suspension of the rules, and with similar expedition in the Senate it can be made a law before the adjournment for the holiday recess, so that no stoppage of the mail service need occur.

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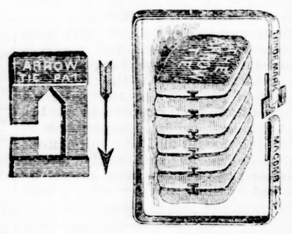

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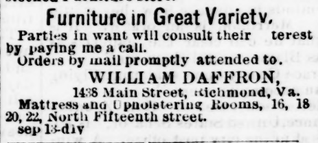

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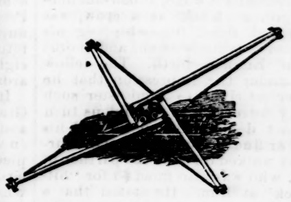

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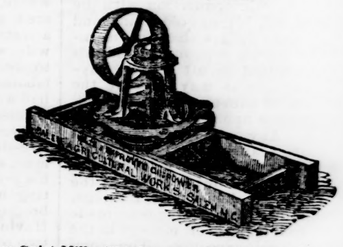

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DAILY NEWS
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Demi-Monde on the Stage.

N. Y. Star.

The raid of women of the demi-monde on the stage has taken form in a recent demonstration, the result of the staggetic movements on their part. Another one of them, a notorious creature of this city, is to make her debut in a first-class theatre during the next fortnight. There is likely to be a flutter in consequence, but there are several birds of similar feather on our stage, and it is not likely that the profession can be made too warm for the new artiste, besides she dresses well and needs no salary. No manager could pay such a woman enough to make it an object to her to work on the stage. Persons of her class prefer to work without any salary for the simple privilege of making the stage a show-room for their charms. They have have gentlemen friends, too, men who wine and dine managers, and who try to buy up criticism in their behalf. These are men of the first society—men whose names are often seen in print, coupled with honorable speculations and words of compliment. It is considered the style of thing for young bloods of the first families to imitate London nobility by doing the honorable thing to their cast-off mistresses, which generally means paying for their dramatic education in Fanny Morant's school and buying their way to the stage, to the shame and humiliation of honest, hard working ladies of talent who seek to earn an honest livelihood in the profession. The result of this course on the part of the managers is inevitable, as money can do anything in the theatre, and as these vile women have plenty of money to back them, it will not require over two seasons more to drive an respectable women from the stage.

Seed of a Definite Policy.

Washington Post.

It is high time that a Nation like ours, which is a hundred years old and contains as many people as the average of European states, besides possessing many times the natural wealth and resources of the best of them, should have some settled and well defined foreign policy. It may not be wise to increase our territory by the annexation of foreign provinces—a policy that quite frequently brings weakness instead of strength—but there can be no doubt that Congress should adopt some earnest and aggressive measures for the furtherance and development of our trade with foreign countries. Now that we are able to undersell England in many of her own staple manufactures at her own doors, we are certainly able to secure our proper share of the trade of those countries like Mexico, Central America, South America, Cuba and Japan, which lie nearer to us than to our European competitors. As yet we are comparatively unknown to them as a source of supply. We said in due time point out the steps necessary to be taken for the accomplishment of this end, but we can assure our National legislators that, if they would serve the real interests of the people, they will find them in such fields as this, rather than in following the lead of Blaine in a pernicious and profitless wrangle about the bloody shirt.

Concealed Weapons.

We do earnestly hope that the present Legislature will pass a stringent law in regard to carrying deadly weapons. The strongest objection made to the law heretofore came from the lawyers who thought that a law forbidding the carrying of pistols was unconstitutional, as the constitution of the United States provides that "the right of the people to bear arms shall not be infringed." But this refers to arms necessary for military purposes. The State of Arkansas has passed a law making the carrying of concealed weapons a misdemeanor and the Supreme Court of that State has declared the act constitutional. We have an act to the same effect in this State, but it only applies to the county of Alleghany, where Mr. Vaughn is author, hves.

Why it was Done.

Washington Post.

It is made quite evident by a recent article in the London Times that the British government had a much deeper purpose in sending Lorne to Canada than that of providing for the Queen's son-in law. The Times admits that Canada is loyal now, but asserts that "no one could guarantee that loyalty an hour beyond a certain time." It calls Canadian loyalty a "sentiment," and adds that "sentiment rarely holds its ground permanently, at least against a strong impulse of self-interest." The Times frankly admits that, sooner or later, Canada will divorce herself from England. The Montreal Post, in its comment upon this article, complains mildly that Canadian loyalty is so lightly valued in England, draws a long breath, looks over the Southern border, and finally consoles itself with the thought that "Canada is lucky to be saved from the corruption and fraud attendant upon Presidential elections."

Too Much Mouth.

He had returned to New York with his wife from a summer vacation at the seaside, and he stood in front of the house giving a friend a graphic account of the season's pleasures. "Went in bathing every day!" he exclaimed, enthusiastically. "Ah," responded the friend. "Wife go in too?" "Oh, yes, every day," said the returned vacationist. "Can she swim?" queried the friend. "No-o-o, she can't," was the reply. "She tried and tried to learn, but somehow she didn't get the hang of it. She said she couldn't get the kick, and I let her think that was the reason, but the fact was"—and here he looked up at the house, and sunk his voice to a hoarse whisper—"she couldn't keep her mouth shut long enough to take four strokes before she'd have some silly remark to make, when kersmash!—she'd swallow a whole wave and go plump to the bottom!"

Arbitrary Acts of Federal Judges.

The Virginia Senate has selected a special committee of nine to consider and report on the case of Judge Rives, the United States judge who recently released two negro prisoners found guilty of murder, because they had been tried by a white jury. The committee find some difficulty in dealing with the matter. It is probable that they will appeal to Congress for the legislation necessary to provide a remedy for arbitrary acts on the part of Federal judges, like those of Rives in Virginia and Darell in this State.

It Might Have Been.

When taking a retrospective of our past lives, how often does conscience whisper to broken spirits and wounded hearts the sad, sad words, "It might have been?" This is it may be with the sufferer who endures the agonies of hemorrhoids, or piles, and needs not the counsel to try Barham's Infallible Pile Cure, which is warranted to speed.

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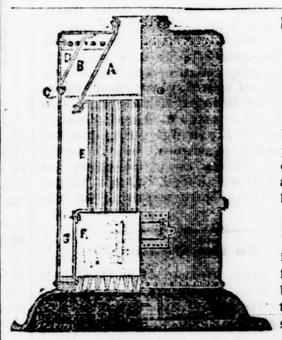

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Having Made over 100 Boilers
in this State, all of which have given satisfaction, I can refer with pleasure to my work as the best guarantee of my reliability. All work submitted to thorough test and warranted before leaving shops. Estimates furnished on application.
Sectional View of Mitchells Upright Boiler.
A, showing Smoke Box. B, taper steam Dome, which prevents foaming and working of water in cylinder and surner heats the steam. D, bracing of Dome. C, water line over flues. E, fire Box. G, water space around fire Box
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Having been engaged in the lumber business for the past eight years, we have gained thorough knowledge of the best manner and style to manufacture lumber of every grade. We have mill up a large building, and have placed our lumber in every section of the State. Our chief aim is to always please our customers and never give dissatisfaction. As to this, we refer to any of our numerous customers. Orders solicited and promptly filled
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Having every Facility for the Manufacture of any Grade of
ROUGH PINE LUMBER,
am prepared to fill all orders promptly and satisfactorily—both as to quality and price. With 13 years experience in the business, I have acquired a thorough knowledge of the management of lumber and can always furnish a grade fully up to the standard I represent.
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Soliciting the further favor of my old patrons and hoping to make many new ones.
Very Respectfully,
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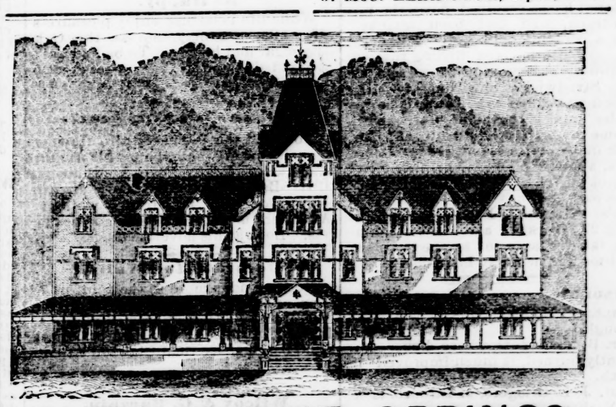
GLEN ALPINE SPRINGS
Burke County, W. N. Carolina.
The unprecedented success with which the proprietors have met during the past and their first season having had some five hundred visitors, will encourage them to make further extensive improvements, as it is their ambition to make this the first Watering Place South.
Many persons having received such great benefit during the past season from the use of our Lithia Waters, we have concluded to place it upon the market, and it will be found for sale by all the leading Druggists in the State
WALTON & PEARSON,
v6-d1y PROPRIETORS.

HOME REMEDY.
A CERTAIN AND SPEEDY
CURE FOR SCROFULA.
FACTS ARE STUBBORN THING

TRADE MARK TRADE MARK
(Registered.)
A BRIEF HISTORY:
The following is from the Raleigh News, and was a voluntary insertion and not an advertisement:
"Years ago an old Indian left a receipt for curing Scrofula with Mrs Person's father. Mrs. Person lives in Franklinton, or in that section. A child was born to Mrs. Person, and it had the Scrofula. The doctors gave it up to die. She thought of that receipt, that was now old and musty, and hid away in an upstairs drawer. She concluded if the child was bound to die, it wouldn't hurt to follow that receipt. She went out and gathered the herb, got the whiskey, and did as directed to the child. Her child now lives well and hearty. More than this: Only a few months since a South Carolinian, whose name has slipped us, was suffering with some scrofulous affection on the heel. He had been to the Hot Springs in Arkansas, and from there he went to Kittrell Springs. Nothing did him any good. At Kittrells they told him of Mrs. Person's recipe, and Dr. —— wrote to Mrs. Person if she cured that South Carolinian her receipt was worth money. And the South Carolinian sent her word if she cured him he would give her five hundred dollars. She sent him directions what to do, and added if they cured him he could send her twenty-five dollars; she wouldn't ask five hundred. The South Carolinian went home, and shortly afterward sent Mrs. Person a check for twenty-five dollars, and wrote the most grateful letter he knew how. Dress to see old Indians. We would like to have one for a near neighbor."

UNEQUALLED AS A BLOOD PURIFIER.
MRS. JOE PERSON:
The medicine I purchased of you last winter proved of lasting benefit to my son, who was troubled with 27 running sores, some of them quite large, and of a scrofulous nature. In less than three weeks after commencing the use of your remedy, he was perfectly restored, and is to-day quite sound and healthy. As a TONIC AND BLOOD PURIFIER IT HAS NO EQUAL. Hoping that you may be spared for many years of usefulness, I remain, Very respectfully
L. J. STOKES.
Louisburg, N. C., May 22, 78.

AS A TONIC AND ALTERATIVE
MOORESVILLE, IREDELL CO., N. C.
Being desirous of adding my testimonia to others, concerning the merits of Mrs Joe Person's Remedy for Scrofula, I take pleasure in saying that as a tonic and alterative I do not think it has an equal. I have fairly tested it, and after trying vegetine, Sarsaparilla, Vinegar Bitters, and various other remedies, I have no hesitation in pronouncing it far superior to any TONIC I have ever used. When I commenced using Mrs Person's Remedy I was very weak, complexion sallow, and now I am WELL,
Respectfully your friend,
MRS. S. T. BROWN.
Sept. 26, 1878.

THREE CHILDREN IN THREE WEEKS.
CASTALIA, N. C.
MRS JOE PERSON:
Dear Madame—Your letter has been received, and on account of being absent from home for a week or two, have not had the opportunity to answer it. I certainly will take great pleasure in doing all that is within my power towards getting you patients for treatment of Scrofula. I hardly know how to express my gratitude to you for curing my three little children. They took medicine from my family physician for about two years, with scarcely any relief at all. I tried your remedy, and in less than three weeks they were all perfectly cured, and have never shown any signs of breaking out again. I feel very thankful to you. I can safely say that I believe your remedy to be a certain cure for Scrofula. If I can ever be of any service to you in any way, I want you to be sure and call on me. Yours truly,
WM. H. ARMINGTON.

"It will Cure if Fairly Tested."
It gives me much pleasure to be able to state that I have derived an effectual cure of Scrofula from the use of Mrs. Joe Person's remedy for that disease. I had suffered from Scrofula for more than three years, and had despaired of ever getting well. I was treated during that time by three very eminent physicians, without any good result. I then went to the National Surgical Institute, at Atlanta, Ga., and was treated there more than two months, with no better result than my family physicians met with. After I returned from the Institute I was persuaded to try Mrs. Person's remedy, and I had not used it more than a week before I discovered its curative and healing properties. My sores soon began to heal, and the color of my skin changed as fast as the sores healed. I had not thought of ever getting well again, but my hopes increased, my low spiritedness fled before the remedy, and I am now enjoying splendid health and am in good spirits. The remedy is mild as a purgative, and a strong tonic; it will heal the most scurvorn sore in three weeks if taken regularly. It is my opinion that it should be taken some time after the sore is healed, to remove the cause of its effects. It should be taken regularly by all means, for I have sometimes neglected it, from the pressure of business, and in all cases found that the cure already made would commence to retrograde, and for this alone it should be taken regularly until an effectual cure is completed. Nothing should prevent regularity in the use of the remedy and it should be taken at the proper time. I would recommend to all who are suffering from Scrofula to try it. It will surely cure you if you give it a fair test. I speak from experience, and not from hearsay. I am a grateful recipient of a cure from the use of it and I am under many and lasting obligations to Mrs. Person on the great relief I have obtained from its use. Sufferers, try it and be cured, is my advice.
I am, respectfully,
JAMES A. MORRIS.
KITTRELLS, N. C.

My receipt for the cure of Scrofula has been tried by me with the most unprecedented success for the last twelve years, and I have no hesitation in recommending it as a sovereign cure for that disease and as a general Tonic and Blood Purifier. It is everywhere giving perfect satisfaction, while my experience with it is too limited for me to specially recommend it for other diseases, I believe it will ultimately prove to be of benefit in all cases arising from impurity of the blood and probably for other diseases.

A CASE OF CANCER.
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Aug. 12, 1878.
MRS. JOE PERSON:
Dear Madam—I have been using your Remedy for Scrofula over five months as an experiment for cancer. The cancer is of long standing, the doctors have been treating it, more or less, for twelve years, it has taken off my upper lip and a good part of my nose. When I began to use your Remedy it was growing rapidly worse, but the medicine seemed to check it very soon, and it has not made much progress since, except a spell two months ago, the medicine gave out, and I was without several days. It then seemed to start anew, and grew worse very fast, until I had taken the medicine about a week, since then it has not changed much. I think if I could have had the medicine soon enough, it would have cured me.
For more than a year before using your medicine, I was troubled very much with a disease of the heart, an irregularity in its action. It would miss every third beat for hours, then at other times it would increase in its action, and run up to 200 beats per minute. Since using your medicine I am almost entirely relieved of this, rarely feel it, and then not enough to speak of it. I would recommend any one suffering with heart disease to try your medicine. As a Tonic and Alterative, I do not think it has any superior. I have been using all the most powerful alteratives known to the medical profession for the last 12 years and I know of none superior to this. I think your medicine is destined to be a great blessing to the afflicted. Let every one that needs a Tonic or an Alterative give it a trial, and I do not think they will be disappointed.
Very truly and Respectfully,
JOHN BUIE, Box 141,
Fayetteville, N. C.
For my personal reliability, I refer, by permission to Rt. Rev. Thos. Atkinson, D. D., North Carolina; Geo. A. Foote, M. D., Warren, Co.; Hons. J. J. Davis and C. M. Cooke Franklin Co.
For sale by all first class Druggists.
MRS. JOE PERSON,
Franklinton N. C.
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DAILY NEWS

WEDNESDAY,.....DECEMBER, 18 1878

THE CITY.

Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON. D. C., Dec. 17.

For the Southern portion of the South Atlantic and Gulf States south and west winds; warmer and partl cloudy weather, and stationary barometer will prevail.

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LOCAL BRIEFS.

——A negro woman, Sarah Stanford, was sent to jail by Justice Whitaker yesterday, for the larceny of some bed clothing.

——Almost all the school boys, of all classes and sizes are now taking their Christmas holidays, and the schools are for the time deserted.

——Mr. Fraps will dispose of his entire stock of furniture at Public auction on Thursday December 26th. Advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

——Charles Chauncey, of Philadelphia, and T. R. Borland, of Norfolk, Va., were yesterday appointed Commissioners of Affidavits for this State.

——A great number of small dwellings are either just completed or in course of erection in the Southern part of the city, on Blount and Wilmington streets.

Katie Putnam.

This sprightly little actress appeared at Tucker Hall last evening, in the play of "La Cigale." As the "grasshopper." She was full of vivacity, and gave the audience some jolly laughs. The support is not worthy of her, but, however, the performance was fair.

Revival at Durham.

An interesting revival is in progress in the Baptist Church at Durham. It is conducted by the able pastor, Rev. C. Durham. He is assisted in his holy work by Rev. J. E. Hutson, of Virginia. The meeting attracts large crowds and will be continued for some time.

Convicts.

Deputy Sheriff J. H. Gilmer, of Guilford, brought down a trio of convicts yesterday. Their names were William Jasper, alias William J. Blalock, white, larceny, 7 years; Milton Jones, colored, larceny, 3 years; Robert Williams, larceny, 5 years.

An Excellent School.

The Peace Institute needs no encomiums. Its merits are so apparent and the largeness of its culture and instruction so marked, that it acknowledges no superior anywhere. It is in charge of most competent instructors, while the principals as gentlemen of rare urbanity, learning and business tact. The announcement of the establishment of a kriedergarten will be read with pleasure.

Settling Up.

A couple more of Sheriffs have settled their little bills with the State Treasurer. These are Charles F. Wagoner, of Rowan, who paid

Public Taxes,	$1968.42
Special "	3860.25
James P. Cherry, of Ashe, paid in	
Public Taxes,	$328.88
Special "	237 03

Building a Church.

Quite a handsome and commodious church edifice is now being built for the congregation of the Second Baptist church, colored. The building is of brick, and is on South Blount street, in rear of the female department of the Shaw Collegiate Institute. The place where this congregation worshiped is now used as the colored graded school.

Confections.

Bragassa, the Confectioner, No. 15 Fayetteville street, whose advertisement is elsewhere, seems determined not to be out-done in his display of Christmas Goods. He has one of the finest stocks of Toys and French Candies in the State. His store is daily crowded with visitors. Give him a call.

Need of the Fence Law.

In conversation with a prominent farmer yesterday he stated that the practical agriculturist of this county are ardently in favor of the adoption of a no-fence law, after a careful consideration of the points in the matter, and it is probable that Wake will do her share in securing the passage of a bill. In this connection it may be mentioned that the whipping post has many earnest advocates here, who think a return to the "forty save one" plan the one thing needed.

The Light Question.

The city was as dark as erebus Sunday night, and not a glimmer of light served to guide the hapless wayfarer The lamplighter says the oil was out, and supplies failed to arrive in time. A delightful arrangement this, truly; one that should have somebody's attention. But then who is responsible? If one says it is Smith, that individual swears it is Jones; thus all concerned shirk the responsibility. Last night the oil came and the apologies for lamps made the darkness visible.

Put Where They Belong.

The police followed up the clues in regard to the cotton thieves, and on Monday night captured six of the rogues. These were tried before the Mayor yesterday morning. The Mayor sent the entire batch to jail, to be held until to-day, when the trial will be continued. One of these fellows is Sam Wilkins, who was one of the men who entered Stronach's store last spring. The others are Major Hinton, Sam Avery, Ed. Humphreys, Nathan Sledge, and Bryant Avery.

Railroad Enterprise.

It was announctd in the News a few days since, that arrangements had been made by which trains would be run through from Raleigh to Portsmouth. On Monday last this great convenience to the travelling public was inaugurated and now there is no change of cars between this city and Portsmouth, and but one between here and Baltimore. On Monday morning the elegant train of cars of the R. & G. road left this city for Portsmouth, under the charge of that courteous gentlemen and experienced conductor Capt. Timberlake, and the polite baggage master Mr. H. M. Faucett. The train was drawn by engine No. 10, engineer Rufus Horton, than whom there is not a safer engineer.

In Time Again.

Just received another lot of Hamburg Trimming all to be sold at prices to suit the times at CREECH'S. *

The Portsmouth train came in on Monday night and retured on yesterday, in the care of the well-known conductor of the S. & R. Road, Capt. Wm. Drummond, whose long experience and extensive acquaintance with the traveling public makes him welcome here to the line of road in this State. He is assisted by the attentive Baggage Master Mr. Turrentine. The train was drawn by the splendid engine "Carolina," driven by the veteran engineer Mr. W. W. Weymouth, who in the last quarter of a century has been in constant service and taken thousands of passengers safely over his road. The improved air brake will soon be attached to all the trains. The road is to be congratulated on this great improvement in the comfort and convenience of their passengers. The public are principally indebted for these improvements to the efficient and ever watchful and laborious Superintendent of the R. and G. R. R. Maj. Jno. C. Winder.

Important to Cotton Dealers.

The following letter of Hon. Jno. M. Worth, State Treasurer, is published as of particular importance:

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
RALEIGH, Dec. 17th, 1878.

MR. C. N. SIMPSON,
Register of Deeds,
Monroe, N. C.

SIR:—You state that purchasers of cotton in your town, except in one instance, refuse to list their purchases, in conformity to my construction of section 12, schedule B, of the Revenue Act, under which they are held to be liable. You state further that "they are willing to pay from now on, but not the back." They acknowledge, by this expression, their liability to the tax, but fail to recognize the full requirement of the law. Please refer then to the language of Section 12, Schedule B., which is explicit and unmistakable. "Every merchant, jeweller, grocer, druggist, and every other trader, who, as principal or agent, carries on the business of buying and selling goods, wares or merchandise, of whatever name or description, except such as are specially taxed elsewhere in this act, shall in addition to his ad valorem tax pay as a privilege tax," etc., etc.

It cannot be denied that cotton is an article of merchandise, and that it is not specially taxed elsewhere in the act The law, as contained in Section 12, applies also to purchase of corn, tobacco and all other articles of merchandise, not specially taxed elsewhere in the Act.

Your duty is plainly set forth in the Act. If the parties fail to furnish you with the list, as required, it is you duty to notify the Solicitor of your district, of the fact, and he will take the matter in hand.

I am of opinion that strictly barter transactions are not taxable, but all purchasers are clearly liable.

I desire it to be understood, that I am not engaged in the pursuit of delinquent tax payers, but I am trying to do my duty in construing the law according to its true intent and meaning.

Very respectfully,
JNO. M. WORTH,
State Treasurer.

Full Attendance.

One of the largest and most important meetings of the Young Men's Christian Association, that has been held for many months, was held last evening. Every arrangement was made to put the association in operation to relieve the wants of the suffering poor. The committee for collecting funds will at once call on the citizens and it is hoped that a liberal response will be made. The committee consists of Mr John T. Pullen, Graham Haywood Esq., and Mr. P. C. Enniss. As soon as the funds can be secured, wood and rations can be procured on the most liberal terms. Distributors were appointed in all the districts. The names of the distributors also a detailed statement of the management and the work done by the association, will in a few days be given to the public by a committee appointed for that purpose. All the indications on that there will be unusual suffering here during this winter, and never has there been a more urgent call on the citizens. "Whoso stoppeth his ears at the cry himself, but shall not be heard."

Support of Lunatics Outside of the Asylum.

That clever gentlemen and efficient officer, Mr. Partin, clerk in the Auditor's office, has prepared a table showing the number of lunatics supported by the State in the various counties, as well as the cost of their maintenance. There are only sixty counties in which lunatics are so kept, and there are of these 342. The total amount paid for their support from March 12th, 1877, to January 1st, 1878, was $24,423.96. The other counties of the State have no lunatics outside the Asylum There are ten counties that claim less than $100 for support of these unfortunates. Eight counties claim less than $200; ten claim less than $300; five claim less than $400; eight claim less than $500; while nineteen charge from $500 to $1,785. The last amount is paid to Rutherford, whose lunatics thus supported are 23 in number. New Hanover has the next largest number, 20, and charges $1,361.77. Wake has only 12 thus supported, and they cost only $725. The county whose charges are smallest is Anson, which has only $64.

A Wake County Man Dies Suddenly at Hillsboro.

The Hillsboro Recorder says: On Saturday afternoon, a young man entered the saloon of Alex. Pleasants complaining of being very sick. He said that he had walked down the railroad track, and had been attacked with a violent chill. Mr. Pleasant took care of him, and finding that his condition was becoming worse, sent for Dr. Strudwick. Subsequently Dr. Wilson was called in. Towards morning he was better, but subsequently became more ill, and died at 11 a. m. on Sunday. His name was James Sikes, a native of Wake, his father living not far from Forestville. For two years past he has been working a Holt's "Granite" Factory. He was about 22 years of age. His remains were taken charge of by the town authorities and decently interred.

Personals.

Capt. W. H. Kitchen is at the Yarborough.

Mr. B. Y. Rogers, whose house was recently burned, is much improved in health.

Col. J. L. Bridgers, of Tarboro, is at the Yarboro.

Mr. Cyrus P. Mendenhall, of Greensboro, is at the same hotel.

10,000 Christmas Gifts.

2,500 Japanese boxes, trays, &c., &c.
2,000 Japanese parlor fire works.
500 fine vases, 500 sets silver spoons.
200 bequet holders, 500 sets silver forks.
100 toilet sets, 50 sets silver castors.
150 gilt cups, 50 silver cups.
150 motto mugs, 50 silver napkin rings.
25 fine tea sets, 50 pickle castors.
All ranging from 25 cents to $5 each. at Law's China and Silver stores, Raleigh and Charlotte.

Hotel Arrivals.

YARBOROUGH HOUSE, Dec. 17.—H M Backus, Cleaveland, Ohio; W C Brawnsun, Conn.; T F Rogers, Norfolk; E J Hoover, Baltimore; C M Cook; Lewisburg, F A Stewart, Baltimore; A A Sears, Durham; Jno Ward. Little River; S G Adkins, Richmond; Thos M Shelton, Baltimore; B F King; N C; P J Wilson; Charlotte; Law Emerson, Cincinnati; Mrs G D Pool, Elizabeth City; M L Holmes, Salisbury; Cyrus P Mendenhall, Greensboro; F J Menninger, N Y; W H Puelps, Pittsburg; N. A. Ramsey, Durham; Geo L Pender, Baltimore; Mrs E Hall, Pittsboro, Miss Lizzie Manning and Thos N Hill, Pittsboro; Mrs W H McKay, Wilmington; W C Moore, County; C B Marriot, Battleboro; W Frank Utley, Apex; G. F Uzzell, Wilson Mills; A. T. Lusbeth, Lockville; J B Young, Cameron; A D Lippett, N. C., R W Clay, N. C., Col. J L Bridgers, Tarboro; Geo. B. Everett, Winston; C Waite, Culpeper, Va., Jos. P. Elliott, Balto., D E Young N C. W H Kitchen, N C; D H Gill, Franklin Co; Capt. W J Bilisoly, Portsmouth, Va.

Be Sure You Are Right.

You may feel sure that you are right when you go to Loader's for an elegant and substantial clothing. In the city there is no place where goods are made up more carefully and where prices are more reasonable. The variety of goods shown gives an opportunity for all to make pleeasing selections. The establishment is over Tucker's store, Fayetteville street. *

Take Notice!

C. Weikel, the well known merchant tailor, will, on the first day of January, '79, move to the store No. 26, on Fayetteville street, formerly occupied by Monie, the grocer. *

The "Old Hickory" brand is a sun cured tobacco such as could be had in ante bellum times. There is none on the market now that will compare with it. *

Try Higgs' Choice cigar. Clear Havana. *

Owing to the great rush for dry goods, clothing, boots, shoes, hats, &c., at Zacharias & Co.'s, they are unable to make out a regular advertisement. Call early and secure bargains. *

The Tucker House.

This hostlery has not long been opened, but has already made itself a favorite here and with the traveling public. The fare is good, the rooms favorable, while the location is very convenient. These many advantages are appreciated. *

D. S. Sanders,

Beaufort, N. C., dealer in salt and fresh fish of every description, by package or barrel. All orders accompanied with cash or good reference, will receive prompt attention, and be filled at the lowest market prices. oct 4-tf.

Get Your Wood

At Whitaker's yard. Hargett street station. Special inducements to contracts of 10 cords or more. *

At Lumsden's.

Just arrived one thousand flower pots, one thousand gallons stone ware Pistols (new model Smith & Wesson,) guns, powder, shot, caps, &c. Table and pocket cutlery, (Rogers warranted.) Scissors, shears &c. Also the best stock of stoves, plain and fancy inware ever brought to this place can be found at Lumsden's. He also makes a specialty of repairing guns, pistols, locks, sewing machines, bell hanging &c. Tin rooting done as cheap as shingles and warranted. Don't forget Lumsden if you want anything in the metal line. *

To the Public.

G. W. King, in rear of T. H. Briggs & Sons', Hardware Store is prepared to epair in first-class style Breech Loading and Muzzle Loading shot guns and Fine Arms of all descriptions, Door Locks, Trunk Locks and all kind of Lock work, Umbrellas, Fluting Machines and anything in the line of small Hardware, either Brass or Iron. Sign and Bell Hanging a specialty. Orders from a distance will receive prompt attention. All work warranted. *

Try "Old Hickory" sun cured tobacco if you are looking for the finest that is now manufactured. It is an exquisite chew and a great treat for those who use the weed. *

Hurry Up!

And call on J. C. Brewster to buy your Christmas goods. He has anything and everything suitable for making presents. Articles both useful and ornamental for the household, which always makes home cheerful.

If you want a pan to bake your cake a Christmas turkey in go to Brewsters If you want a present for your wife, your boy or girl, he has the most suitable for each. He has tool chests, scroll saws and in fact anything you want, and you can find no fault with his prices.

Xmas Tricks.

You can not buy a more suitable present than a handsome picture. It will always be an ornament and never wear out. Clawson has the largest and most select variety ever brought to the city. *

Be Happy.

While life is lasting enjoy pleasure's gift while you may, smoke the Oak City cigar and be gay. To be had only at Mendel's Capitol Cigar Store at 5 cents a piece. *

Holidays Drawing Near.

Now that the holidays are drawing near, it is right that the people should know where to buy their Xmas goods. J. H. Bragassa is the man. He can supply you with toys from 5 cents up. And there is no end to the goodies he has. Look at his advertisement. *

Decorate the Walls.

Nothing adds more to the comfort & cosy appearance of a room than the liberal distribution of framed pictures. It costs but little to buy them and there is no better place than Clawson's to do so. *

Wilcox & G. Bargain.

Will be sold at a big discount a Wilcox & Gibbs Sewing machine. Good as new. Apply quick. News office. *

In Time for Winter.

Call at Creech's, where you will find a good assortment of all-wool cassimeres, suitable for men and boys wear, at gold prices. *

Fresh Arrival of

LADIES' CLOAKS, from $2 50 to $25.00, at PETTY & JONES. These cloaks are remarkable for their style, and the beauty with which they fit.

Rare Opportunity.

Readymade clothing at cost, M. Rosenbaum & Bro., No. 41 Fayetteville street. We have concluded to devote our time to the selling of dry goods only. We therefore offer our large stock of readymade clothing at net cost for cash. We don't advertise often, but when we do we mean every word we say.

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Pescud, Lee & Co. have not moved nor do they intend doing so. They will open a new drug store in a few days in the Bagley building, but will still carry on the drug business at their old stand, 14 Fayetteville street. *

A Full Supply.

The complete store of Rood & Barbee Bros., Martin street, offers to purchasers of heavy goods and family supplies an admirable assortment of articles in that line. There is also a full stock of cotton ties and bagging. The firm is prepared to pay particular attention to consignments of cotton, etc. *

Levy's Champion yoke shirt factory Raleig N. C.

Notice.

The entire stock of A. H. Baker's Dry Goods, Clothing and Notions, Groceries, Notes and Accounts have been transferred to me for settlement. Everybody is hereby notified to come up and buy what they wish for cost, and those owing will please come forward and settle.

J. D. NEWSOM,
Agent for the Trustee.

Free Lunch daily at Higgs', from 11 to 1 o'clock. Elegant. *

Jones' Baking Powder is the best made. Try it and be convinced of its purity.

The Sweet Buy and Buy.

Christmas is nigh at hand and an look eagerly forward to the pleasures of the season. Nothing contributes more to the joys of the children than the purchase of nice toys. These are found in the greatest variety and price at Royster's. Also a magnificent stock of Confectioneries and fruits. Call and see for yourself. *

Received to-day on consignment.
N. C. Hams,
N. C. Flour,
Turkeys,
Butter and eggs,
Chickens,
Mullets, &c., &c.
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Patapsco Family Flour,
North Carolina Family Flour,
Orange Grove Extra Flour,
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Bolted Virginia Corn Meal,
Marshall's Liverpool Salt,
Clear Rib Bulk Meat,
Egerton's Scorch Snuff,
For sale at wholesale by
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J. H. Sultan, of Newbern, whose fine cigars have won such a reputation in this State, is prepared to furnish them of all grades and prices, to suit customers. His goods are known everywhere, and are second to none in excellence. *

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At Woollcott's Open Front Store. Ladies' sizes, 50cents; Misses' and Children's, 40 cents, and Gentlemens', 75 cents per pair.

People are wild over it. what? Why Jones' Baking Powder; it is pure and never fails. Try it.

Raffle.

Grand Raffle of One Hundred Fine Turkeys at cost, at Tim Lee's Club House Saturday night. *

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COMMERCIAL REPORTS.

RALEIGH MARKETS.

COTTON MARKET:
Reported by PAUL FAISON, Official Reporter for the Board of Trade.
RALEIGH, N. C., Dec 17, 1878.

Middling,	7⅛@8
Strict Low Middling,	7¾
Low Middling,	7⅞
Strict Good Ordinary	7¼
Good Ordinary,	
Ordinary,	
Middling Stains,	7¾@7¼
Low Middling Stains,	7
Good Ordinary Stains,	

Tone of market firm. Receipts to-day 200 bales.

GROCERY MARKET—WHOLESALE CASH PRICES
Corrected by MARCOM & ALFORD, Official Reporter for Grocers & Cotton Exchange.

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec 17 1878.

APPLES, North'rn, per bush.	$1.25@1.50
COTTON TIES, new,	4½
" " spliced,	3½
BAGGING,	12@13
FLOUR, North Carolina,	$5.00 @5.25
Patapsco family,	7.50
CORN,	80
FODDER,	80@1.00
CORN MEAL,	55@60
BACON, N. C. Hog, round,	8½ @ 9
" " hams,	11
BULK MEAT, Clear Rib Sides,	5
" " shoulders,	4
NORTH CAROLINA, Pork,	4½@5½
BEEF,	3@4
LARD, North Carolina,	9
" Western,	8
COFFEE, prime, Rio,	18
" good,	15
SYRUP, S. H.,	27
MOLASSES, Cuba,	35
SALT, Liverpool fine,	$1.80
SUGAR, white,	10
" yellow,	8½
LEATHER, Red Sole,	22 @27½
" Oak tanned,	35
TALLOW,	7
POTATOES, sweet, per bush.	25
" Irish,	65
OATS, shelled	45@50
EGGS,	15
BUTTER,	20
CHICKENS,	12½@ 15
RAGS,	15

PEAS per bush. white 90c; stock 75c
Above prices are for large lots, when smaller quantities are wanted higher prices will be charged.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NOON.

PARIS, Dec. 17.

Rentes 1.12f. and 85c.

LONDON, Dec 17.

Consols for money 94 7-16; account 94 11-16. Erie 18¾.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 17.

Cotton quiet; middling uplands 5; middling Orleans 5¾; sales 8 000 bales; speculation and exports 2 000. Receipts 14 40; American 11 600. Futures 3-32 lower; uplands low middling clause, December delivery 5 23 31 32; December and January 5 30-32@5 31 32; January and February 5; February and March 5 1 16@5 1-32@5; March and April 5 3-3 @5 1-16 5 3 32; April and May 5½; May and June 5 5-16; June and July 5 5-16.

2:30 p. m.—Uplands low middling clause March and April delivery 5 1-16; new crop shipped, November and December 5 1-32@5; November and December 5.

4 30 p. m.—Sales American 6,700; uplands low middling clause, December delivery 4 15-16; January and February 4 31 32.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.

Stocks irregular. Money 3@3½. Gold ⅛; Exchange, long 4 82½; short, 4 87; State bonds quiet. Governments steady.

Cotton dull; sales 61; middling uplands 8 15-16; orleans 9 1-16. Futures easy; December 8.12; January 9.01; February 9.14; march 9.26, April 9.38.

Flour dull. Wheat dull Corn quiet. Pork 7 80. Lard quiet 5.95 Spirits turpentine .38. Rosin 1.35 Freight heavy.

BALTIMORE, December 17.

Flour quiet with fair demand; Howard st. and Western super 2.75@3 25; extra 3.50@4; family 4 25@5.00; city mills super 2.75@3 50; extra 3.75@4 25; Howard Grands 5.25; Patapsco 6.25. Southern wheat firm; western shade firmer and inactive; Southern red 95@1.03 amber 1.04@1.07, No. 2 Pennsylvania red 1.06; No. 2 western winter red spot, December 3½; January 4¾@5; February 5¾. Southern Corn active and firm Western dull and nominal; Southern white 40@41; yellow 41@41½.

NIGHT.

NEW YORK, December 18.

Stocks weak. Money 3@4. Gold ⅛; Exchange quiet 4.82. State bonds dull. Governments steady. Freights dull.

Cotton—Net receipts 1,156; gross 3,1216 Futures closed weak; sales 160,000 bales; December 8.91@8 93; January 9.01; February 9 14@9.15; March 9.26; April 9.39; May 9 52; June 9.63@9 64. July 9 71@9 72; August 9 76@9.79.

Cotton easy; sales 728 bales; middling uplands 8 15-16; Orleans 9 1-16; net receipts 3 92; exports to Great Britain 10,707; France 3 916; continent 5 816.

GALVESTON, Dec. 18

Cotton firm; middling 8¾; low middling 7¾; good ordinary 7⅞; sales 4 549; consolidated net receipts 4,595; gross 3 750; stock 110,347.

NORFOLK, Dec. 18,

Cotton steady; middling 8 1-2; net receipts 3,991; gross 000; stock 34,191; sales 715; exports coastwise 1,200.

BALTIMORE, Dec 18.

Cotton dull and lower; middling 8⅜; low middling 8⅛; good ordinary 8; net receipts 000; gross 517, sales 187; stock 3,150.

WILMINGTON, Dec. 18,

Cotton quiet; mid ling 9; low middling 8⅜; good ordinary 8½; net receipts 6 00; gross 8,1-7; sales 000; stock 2,146; exports to Great Britain 1,219.

Spirits turpentine quiet 26½; rosin steady 1.17½ for strained. Crude turpentine steady 1.25 for hard, and 1.85 for yellow dip and virgin. Tar steady 1 60 Corn unchanged.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 18.

Flour steady, unchanged Wheat dull; red and white 87@98. Corn in fair demand and firmer at 32@33. Pork steady and in good demand, fair market dull. Lard in good demand; steam 5½@5 55; kettle nominal. Bulk meats dull and shade lower; partly cured shoulders 2,60; short rib 3 60 fully cured short clear 3 95. Bacon quiet; shoulders 3; short rib scarce 4¼; short clear 4¾.

LIVERPOOL, Dec 18

5 p. m.—Futures steady; uplands low middling clause. March and April 5 1-32,

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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A good reliable man, who understands the management of furnaces and who is a good hand to attend to C ws can find permanent employment at good wages by applying to Lock Drawer No. 30, Raleigh, N. C.
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SALE OF MULES, &c.

On SATURDAY, 21st inst, at 11 o'clock A. M., will be sold at public Auction, at the Court House door in the City of Raleigh:
16 MULES
1 COW AND CALF,
2 DRY CATTLE
And lot of Corn, Fodder, Shucks and Cotton Seed.
Terms, which will be liberal, made known on day of sale.

J. WOMBLE, Ag't
for Julia Fisher, Adm'x,
dec 13-4t Estate J. Fisher, dec'd.

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KINDERGARTEN.

The Principals of Peace Institute would inform the public that they have made arrangement to open a kindergarten and have employed to take charge of it Mrs. M. S. Foster, well known as an experienced and successful teacher A large room is being prepared and will be furnished with everything required for a first class Kindergarten,

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BOSTON, MASS.
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18,000 Tickets, 532 Prizes. Together 1,350 000 Dollars.

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